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To: Subst. House Bill No. **5425**

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"AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES."

- 1 Strike lines 16 to 22, inclusive, in their entirety and insert the
- 2 following in lieu thereof:
- 3 "and the use of physical force; (8) periodic evaluations for the
- 4 effectiveness of treatment received by the child or youth; and (9) a fair
- 5 and quick resolution to department proceedings."
- 6 Strike lines 33 to 37, inclusive, in their entirety and insert the
- 7 following in lieu thereof:
- 8 "(1) One representative of the office of the Attorney General,
- 9 Department of Child Protection appointed by the Attorney General;
- 10 (2) The Chief Child Protection Attorney or the Chief Child
- 11 Protection Attorney's Designee;"
- 12 Strike lines 39 and 40 in their entirety and insert the following in
- 13 lieu thereof:

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14 "Juvenile Matters appointed by the Chief Public Defender;"

- In line 42, strike "majority leader of the Senate" and insert "speaker
- of the House of Representatives" in lieu thereof
- 17 Strike lines 43 to 45, inclusive, in their entirety
- In line 46, strike "(6)" and insert "(5)" in lieu thereof
- In line 47, strike "minority leader" and insert "president pro
- 20 tempore" in lieu thereof
- 21 After line 47 insert the following:
- 22 "(6) A judge of the Superior Court experienced in juvenile matters
- 23 appointed by the Chief Court Administrator;"
- 24 In line 53, strike "and"
- 25 In line 54, after "designee" insert "; and"
- 26 After line 54 insert the following:
- 27 "(10) One juvenile prosecutor appointed by the Chief State's
- 28 Attorney."
- In line 69, strike "January" and insert "July" in lieu thereof
- In line 76, strike "January" and insert "July" in lieu thereof
- In line 83, after "(3)" insert "recommendations to create a service-
- 32 oriented team approach to the department's response to reports of
- 33 child abuse and neglect; (4) recommendations for implementing the
- 34 use of evidence-based services; (5)"
- In line 84, strike "(4)" and insert "(6)" in lieu thereof